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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

BRIAN MANNING,

No. 3:08-cv-00238-JSW

Plaintiff,

STIPULATION RE REFERRAL TO
MAGISTRATE EDWARD M. CHEN

vs.

ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY,
and DOES 1-30, Inclusive,

Defendants.

The parties, by and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate and agree as follows and respectfully request that the Court approve and give effect to their stipulation:

WHEREAS, at the May 9, 2008 Case Management Conference, the Court invited the parties to consider stipulating to refer this matter to a magistrate judge for all purposes and

1 further advised that the parties could select the magistrate judge to whom the case would be
2 referred; and

3 WHEREAS, the parties are agreeable to the transfer of this matter to Magistrate Judge
4 Edward M. Chen for all purposes;

5 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED that, with the Court's approval, this matter shall be
6 transferred to Magistrate Judge Edward M. Chen for all purposes.

7 FILER'S ATTESTATION:

8 Pursuant to General Order No. 45, section X(B) regarding signatures, I attest under penalty of
9 perjury that the concurrence in the filing of this document has been obtained from its signatories.

10 By _____/s/
11 SONIA MARTIN

12 Dated: May 15, 2008 Respectfully submitted,
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Respectfully submitted,

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Honorable Jeffrey S. White
U.S. District Court Judge

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